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**MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re: Application of Florent BEAUMONT, Pierre SILLARD, Ludovic FLEURY, Maxime GORLIER, Louis-Anne de MONTMORILLON, Pascale NOUCHI  
FIBRE OPTIQUE A COMPENSATION DE DISPERSION CHROMATIQUE  
Assignee: **ALCATEL**  
Our Ref. Q77661

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising 42 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, 7 sheets of drawings, a copy of an executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and a copy of an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. Also enclosed is an Information Disclosure Statement and PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified). The verified English translation will later be submitted.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	$\frac{39}{1} - \frac{20}{3}$	$= \frac{19}{3}$	x	\$18.00	=	\$342.00
Independent claims			x	\$84.00	=	\$0.00
Base Fee						\$750.00
<b>TOTAL FILING FEE</b>						<b>\$1092.00</b>
Recordation of Assignment						\$40.00
<b>TOTAL FEE</b>						<b>\$1132.00</b>

Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$1092.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Priority is claimed from:

Country  
France

Application No  
0212403

Filing Date  
October 7, 2002

The priority document will be filed at a later date.

Respectfully submitted,  
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